PUBLIC NOTICE

INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

NPDES CAFO GENERAL PERMIT APPLICATION - KOSCIUSKO COUNTY

Farm ID#:

4010

Applicant:

Fred Beer, Operator

Farm Name:

Fred Beer Farm, Inc.

Farm City:

Milford, Indiana 46542

Farm Location:

Section 25, Township 34N, Range 5E

The above-named applicant submitted a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Concentrated Animal Feeding Operation (CAFO) general permit application to the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM). The NPDES CAFO general permit application, a Notice of Intent (NOI), is to construct one (1) concrete floored and side-walled dairy-calf building providing solid manure storage from approximately 200 dairy-calves with two supplemental long-term solid manure storage areas located in the building. The total capacity of this currently existing and IDEM approved confined feeding operation will be 1,000 mature dairy-cattle & 535 dairy-heifers/calves. The NPDES CAFO general permit NOI was submitted to comply with IC 13-18-10, 327 IAC 16, and 327 IAC 15-15.

In accordance with 327 IAC 15-15-5 and 327 IAC 15-15-8, this notice requests written comments be submitted to IDEM on the eligibility of the owner or operator submitting the NOI for a general permit.

An electronic copy of the application can be made available and an IDEM staff person is available to discuss the contents of the application with any interested party, by either telephone at (317) 234-1623, (800) 451-6027, extension 4-1623, or by a visit to the office.

Written comments should be addressed to:

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